United States European Command

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Major General (Select) Michael W. Hagee currently serves as the Deputy Director of Operations, Headquarters, U.S. European Command, Stuttgart, Germany.

General Hagee was born in Norfolk, Virgina. He graduated with distinction from the U.S. Naval Academy in 1968 with a B.S. degree in Engineering. He also holds an M.S. degree in Electrical Engineering from the U.S. Naval Postgraduate School (1969) and an M.A. degree in National Security and Strategic Studies from the Naval War College (1987). He is a graduate of the Command and Staff College (1982) and the U.S. Naval War College (1987).

Since his commissioning and graduation from The Basic School at Quantico, General Hagee has held a variety of command and staff positions. He commanded a platoon, two rifle companies and a



headquarters and service company during tours on Okinawa and in Vietnam; Commanding Officer, Waikele-West Loch Guard Company (1974-1976); Commanding Officer, Pearl Harbor Guard Company (1976-1977); Commanding Officer, 1st Battalion, 8th Marines (1988-1990); and Commanding Officer, 11th Marine Expeditionary Unit (Special Operations Capable) (1992-1993).

General Hagee's staff assignments include: Communications-Electronics Officer, 1st Marine Air Command and Control Squadron (1971); Assistant Director, Telecommunications School (1972-1974); Training Officer, 3d Marine Division (1977-1978); Electrical Engineering Instructor, U.S. Naval Academy (1978-1981), Head, Officer Plans Section, Headquarters Marine Corps (1982-1986); Assistant Chief of Staff, G-1, 2d Marine Division (1987-1988); Executive Officer, 8th Marines (1988); Director, Humanities and Social Science Division/Marine Corps Representative, U.S. Naval Academy (1990-1992); Liaison Officer to the U.S. Special Envoy to Somalia (1992-1993); Executive Assistant to the Assistant Commandant of the Marine Corps (1993-1994); Director, Character Development Division, U.S. Naval Academy (1994-1995); Senior Military Assistant to the Deputy Secretary of Defense, Washington, D.C. (1995); and Executive Assistant to the Director of Central Intelligence (1995-1996).

His personal decorations include the Defense Distinguished Service Medal, Legion of Merit with two Gold Stars, Bronze Star with Combat "V", Defense Meritorious Service Medal, Meritorious Service Medal with one Gold Star, Navy/Marine Corps Achievement Medal with one Gold Star, Combat Action Ribbon, and the National Intelligence Distinguished Service Medal.

General Hagee and his wife, the former Silke Bole of Munich, Germany have two children, Jesko and Stephanie.